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Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully inquire as to when the official  
Filing Receipt can be expected in the above-identified  
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Respectfully submitted,

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